Boston. 56 Chauncy St.
July 2. 1873.

Wm Lloyd Garrison,

Dear Sir,

I ought ere
this to have acknowledged the receipt
of your very kind and flattering
note, and to tell you how much
pleasure the reading of it has
given me. I was out of town when
it came, and returned only a few
days ago, to find some engrossing
duties awaiting me; and these have
occupied me so constantly that
I have had to defer all correspondence
until now. I am very proud
of all you say about my little
book, and only wish it deserved

one half the generous praise you bestow upon it. I am not surprised that you agree with its sentiments, for I agree so heartily with all you have said on the subject of woman's wrongs and rights that my thoughts could not but accord with yours, if they were in any way sincere, -and this they certainly are.

If I have but one such an honored and appreciative reader as Mr. Garrison I cannot feel that I have written my book in vain.

Messrs Roberts Brothers have requested a copy of your letter to retain for themselves, and I have just sent one to them. The original I shall cherish among my autographic treasures.

With the kindest regards,

Very gratefully Yours,

Abba G. Woolson.

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